(b) if so, the names of Ministries that violated the Act during 2002-2003; and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken by Government for making proper arrangement to do away with negligence of Official Languages Act?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Questions do not arise.

Persons detained during Gujarat violence

2822. SHRI PRASANTA CHATTERJEE : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the number of persons detained in the police and jail custody during the Gujarat violence indicating the period of detention i.e. (i) less than a week (ii) more than a week and (iii) more than a month;

(b) whether Government give the above informations for Godhra and post Godhra incidents separately; and

(c) number of charge-sheets that have been framed for Godhra and post Godhra incidents?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI) : (a) to (c) As per available information 23,777 accused have been arrested in substantive offences and charge-sheets have been filed in different courts of law in 2,014 cases in connection with the Gujarat violence in 2002.

Information regarding separate details of the Godhra and post-Godhra incidents and the period of detention has been sought from the State Government of Gujarat.

Nabbing of travelling agents

†2823. DR. A.K. PATEL : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the details of the travelling agents nabbed by the police during last three years who send people abroad by forging documents;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.